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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought in the application entitled: PUBLISHING ARCHITECTURE SYSTEM AND METHOD

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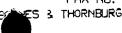
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VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS (37 CFR 1.9(0) and 1.27(c))-SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN

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the owner of the small business concern identified below:

an official of the small business concern empowered to act on or behalf of the concern identified [X] below:

Synthesis Technology Corporation 4834 North Hoyne Avenue, Suite B Chicago, IL 60625

I bereby declare that the above identified small business concern qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 CFR Part 121 for purposes of paying reduced fees to the United States Patent and Trademark Office. Questions related to size standards for a small business concern may be directed to: Small Business Administration, Size Standards Staff, 409 Third Street, SW. Washington DC 20416

I hereby state that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the small business concern identified above with regard to the invention described in:

the specification filed berswith with title as listed above. the application identified above

the parent identified above.

If the rights held by the above identified small business concern are not exclusive, each individual, concern, or organization having rights in the invention must file separate statements as to their status as small emitties, and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other that the inventor, who would not qualify as an independent inventor under 37 CFR 1.9(c) if that person made the invention, or by an concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR (d), or a nonprofit organization under CFR 1.9 (e).

Each person, concern or organization having any rights in the invention is listed below:

no such person, concern, or organization exists. each such person, concern, or organization is listed below. []

Separate statements are required from each named person, concern or organization having rights to the invention stating their status as small entities. (37 CFR 1.27)

I acknowledge the duty to file, in this application or patent, notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which stunts as a small entity is no longer appropriate. (37 CFR 1.28(b))

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